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1. PHOTOS AND COPIES PROGRAM SENT CU/ARTS FOR DOWELL. CLIPPINGS
TO BE FORWARDED SEPARATELY.

2. THE PRINTS OF JOHN DOWELL AND THE PERFORMANCES OF HIS "VISUAL
MUSIC ENSEMBLE" WERE PART OF THE 10TH QUADRIENNALE NAZIONALE
D'ARTE DI ROMA, WHICH WAS DEVOTED TO WORKS BY "FOREIGN ARTISTS
WORKING IN ITALY". THE SHOW IS BIG AND ONE OF THE MORE
IMPORTANT OFFICIAL ITALIAN ART MANIFESTATIONS. TOTAL ATTENDANCE
WAS AROUND 40,000. IT RAN FROM JUNE 9 FOR A MONTH, THE OPENING
WAS ATTENDED BY RANKING ITALIAN OFFICIALS. DOWELLS' PERFORMANCES
WHICH WERE HELD ON JUNE 28, 29 AND 30 WERE ATTENDED BY 100-150
PEOPLE EACH EVENING. THE REACTION OF GENERAL PUBLIC WAS CURIOUS,
THAT OF THE QUADRIENNALE OFFICIALS ENTHUSIASTIC; CRITICAL COMMENT
WAS LIMITED AND MORE FAVORABLE THAN NOT. DOWELL'S MUSICAL
INTERPRETATION OF HIS OWN GRAPHICS WAS ONE OF BRIGHTER POINTS
THIS YEAR'S QUADRIENNALE.HOLMES

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